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SUBJECT: OIL DISTRIBUTION

PLEASE INFORM BUTLER OF MOBIL OIL THAT I HAVE DISCUSSED
OPG DISTRIBUTION PROBLEM WITH BISENGIMANA AND PRESIDENT
MOBUTU AND THEY CONFIRM EARLIER IMPRESSION THAT SOME
MUTUALLY AGREEABLE SOLUTION CAN BE FOUND. HOWEVER, WHEN
I MENTIONED VISIT OF SENIOR MOBIL OFFICIAL TO KINSHASA TO
SEE PRESIDENT, HE ASKED THAT THEY SEE THE APPROPRIATE
MINISTER. I MENTIONED THAT UMBA DI LUTETE HAS NOW BEEN
MOVED FROM MINES AND ENERGY TO FOREIGN OFFICE AND HE
REPLIED THEY SHOULD STILL SEE UMBA AS HE HAS THE
BACKGROUND. I WILL ENDEAVOR SEE UMBA SOON BUT HE IS
NOW VERY BUSY TAKING OVER NEW MINISTRY. SUGGEST MOBIL
REP COMEKINSHASA EARLY NEXT WEEK RATHER THAN END THIS
WEEK AND THAT GROUP NEED NOT NECESSARILY INCLUDE OFFICER
OF HIGHEST RANK.
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